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**In re Application of**

Dietrich, et al.

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**For:** METHOD AND STRUCTURE FOR EFFICIENT ASSESSMENT AND  
PLANNING OF SOFTWARE PROJECT EFFORTS INVOLVING  
EXISTING SOFTWARE

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on January 10, 2008, please amend the above-identified application, as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.